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- 1. The civilian part of the airfield at Liberec (50 47 M 15 03 E), Czechoslovakie, is under the jurisdiction of Svazarm-Aeroclub. The airfield is under the command of an unidentified Air Force major. The entrance to the field is guarded by two men in civilian clothes ermed with pistois. In June and July 1953 one twin-engine aircraft which serves as an "aero-taxi" was observed at the field. In June an Auxiliary Technical Battalion detail with black insignie was seen digging the foundation for a Isrre bulluing, presumably a hangar. The course for aircraft mechanics which was formerly given at the Liberec airfield has been transferred to an unidentified air base. On two occasions in June and July 1953 MIG-15's were observed flying over the city of Liberec. It is not known if the MIG's landed or took off from Liberec airfield.
- The Hodkovice (50 40 N 15 05 h) airfield is being used for gliders. The field has now been expanded and converted into an army-type airfield.

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